

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE BILL ANALYSIS

AMENDMENT DATE: August 2, 2010
POSITION: Neutral

BILL NUMBER: SB 294
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BILL SUMMARY: Department of Consumer Affairs: regulatory boards

This bill would revise the sunset review dates on various boards, bureaus, and programs under the purview of the Department of Consumer Affairs (DCA).

FISCAL SUMMARY

This bill would not result in additional state costs.

SUMMARY OF CHANGES

Amendments to this bill since our analysis of the June 16, 2010 version are minor and technical and do not change our position.

COMMENTS

Existing law provides for the licensure and regulation of various licensees by various boards and bureaus within DCA. Under existing law, the Joint Legislative Sunset Review Committee reviews all DCA consumer-related boards or categories of licensed professionals every four years to evaluate and determine whether each board has adequately demonstrated a public need for its continued existence.

This bill would revise the sunset review dates on the following board and bureaus as follows:

- Medical Board of California – from 2013 to 2014.
- Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology and Hearing Aid Dispensers Board – from 2012 to 2014.
- Board of Occupational Therapy – from 2013 to 2014.
- Board of Registered Nursing – from 2013 to 2012.
- Board of Psychology – from 2011 to 2013.
- State Board of Optometry – from 2013 to 2014.
- Physician Assistant Committee – from 2012 to 2013.
- Respiratory Care Board of California – from 2013 to 2014.
- Massage Therapists program under the Board of Vocational Nursing and Psychiatric Technicians – from 2016 to 2015.
- Naturopathic Committee – from 2013 to 2014 (also requires Naturopathic to submit a report, as specified, in 2012 as opposed to 2010).
- Acupuncture Board – from 2011 to 2013.
- Board of Behavioral Sciences – from 2011 to 2013.
- California Board of Accountancy – from 2011 to 2012.
- California Architects Board – extends the intern development program from 2011 to 2012.
- Landscape Architects Technical Committee – from 2011 to 2012.
- Professional Fiduciaries Bureau – from 2011 to 2012.

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- Board for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors – from 2011 to 2012.
- Contractors State License Board – from 2011 to 2012.
- Guide Dogs for the Blind – from 2011 to 2012.
- Board of Barbering and Cosmetology – from 2012 to 2014.
- Court Reporters Board of California – from 2011 to 2013.
- Pesticide Regulation and Structural Pest Control Board – from 2012 to 2015.
- State Athletic Commission – from 2011 to 2012.
- Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education – from 2016 to 2015.

		SO	(Fiscal Impact by Fiscal Year)						
Code/Department	LA	(Dollars in Thousands)							
Agency or Revenue	CO	PROP							Fund
Type	RV	98	FC	2010-2011	FC	2011-2012	FC	2012-2013	Code
1110/ConAfr-ReqBd	SO	No	-----	No/Minor	Fiscal Impact	-----			0494
1111/ConAfr-BurPg	SO	No	-----	No/Minor	Fiscal Impact	-----			0494
<u>Fund Code</u>	<u>Title</u>								
0494	Other - Unallocated Special Funds								